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We continue to receive items of internal PBCHORD correspondence which has as its subject Anatoli A. MICHELSON. The latest is a memorandum of 7 November which again considers ways of using Subject at TPLINGO. We are transmitting this piece of correspondence under separate cover. ☐ Approved: ☐ Attachment: A/s (USC) Distribution: 2 - COS/G w/1 cy att (USC) ✓ 2 - IO w/1 cy att (USC) 2 - EE w/1 cy att (USC)			
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Director, Radio Programming Division
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Anatol Michelson

Nov. 7, 1950

Once again I have discussed the problem of Michelson with [] who has informed me as follows.

The Russian Desk can use one script per week from Michelson on subjects with which he is most familiar -- i.e., Soviet administrative practices, Soviet industry, etc. He should definitely not write on purely political themes.

Because of friction existing between Michelson and Kazantsev, [] recommends that Michelson's scripts be processed by [] for incorporation in his Soviet Notebook. [] is ready to assume that responsibility.

[] is also of the opinion that Michelson could be profitably used by attending the auditions every day, i.e., six days a week, sometime between 2:30 and 4:00 PM. For this he would be paid at the rate of DM20 per audition.

Ralis is interested in using Michelson for ten program evaluations per month at DM20 per evaluation.

To sum it up, we could get out of Michelson the equivalent of DM960 in worthwhile contributions.

However, since he will not settle for less than a DM1,200 per month Special Payroll assignment, we would in fact be contributing something like DM240 a month toward a "welfare" project.

I want to add that Obolensky has flatly refused to make use of Michelson's services for reportages or any other kind of work for the News Department.

As I told you verbally, I think that we should put him on Special Payroll at the rate of DM1,200 per month for a trial period of a month or two. I believe that this is important considering the present psychological climate among the emigres who work with us.

Lionel Rubinstein

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